



The Lutheran Hour Chorus, made up of students attending Concordia Lutheran Seminary at St. Louis, Missouri, will be presented in a sacred concert at the Roseburg Senior High School Thursday night, June 23, at eight-fifteen o'clock. The Chorus is heard every Sunday morning over the Mutual Broadcasting System on the Lutheran Hour, with Dr. W. A. Maier as speaker.

**Marine Saves Child In Drop Of Five Stories**

DETROIT, June 22. — (AP) — Two-year-old Michael Patrician, Jr. was holding grimly to the outside ledge of a hotel window. It was a five-story drop to the sidewalk below.

Blake Frey, 24, a husky marine veteran, happened by and spotted the baby. He went into action fast. He ordered someone to run for a blanket. But it was too late. The baby started to fall.

Frey leaped to the spot and held out his arms. The 40-pound child slipped through his arms to the sidewalk. But the fall was broken.

The baby, although injured seriously, was reported responding to treatment at a hospital.

**Democratic Whip Cracked In Partisan Effort To Pass Truman Housing Program**

WASHINGTON, June 22. — (AP) — Administration leaders cracked the whip over House Democrats Tuesday in a hard drive to pass President Truman's controversial housing bill.

In advance of a meeting of all 261 party members, they indicated they might try for a two-thirds vote to bind virtually all House Democrats to support the measure. And one leader noted that under party rules a member is subject to "discipline" if he fails to follow such caucus instructions.

Discipline in party affairs sometimes means a Congressman's loss of the right to propose federal job-holders in his district. However, a member is not bound by a caucus action if he feels his vote would violate the Constitution or his oath of office, or if it would be contrary to a commitment he made during his own campaign.

There has been a vigorous southern rebellion against the Senate-passed housing bill, which the House starts debating today. The measure calls for a vast program of slum clearance, low-rent public housing and farm housing aids. The cost is estimated all the way from \$10,000,000,000 to \$20,000,000,000.

Some private estimates say more than 60 Southern Democrats will oppose the bill. If Republican leaders, arguing for economy, can hold most of their 171 party members in line against it, the vote will be close.

There were predictions that the battle will end in passage of a compromise bill providing somewhat less than Mr. Truman wants.

**Mayors Urge Action**

Meanwhile, backers and opponents tried hard to sell Congress on their views.

The mayors of 46 large cities filed with House Speaker Rayburn a petition urging immediate passage of the bill. They said their cities, neither "alone nor with the aid of private enterprise, have yet been able to provide sufficient housing or clear our slums."

The National Association of Home Builders also wrote Rayburn.

"The total cost authorized by the bill," this group said, "is still more than \$20,000,000,000 despite the president's claim that it is only \$10,000,000,000." The Association said "enactment of the bill will open the way to having the federal government take over the entire production of houses."

Rodney M. Lockwood, Detroit builder and president of the Association, quoted to Rayburn a speech last Saturday by James F. Byrnes, former member of Mr. Truman's cabinet, saying some programs before Congress threaten to bring about "statism" and can convert citizens into "economic slaves."

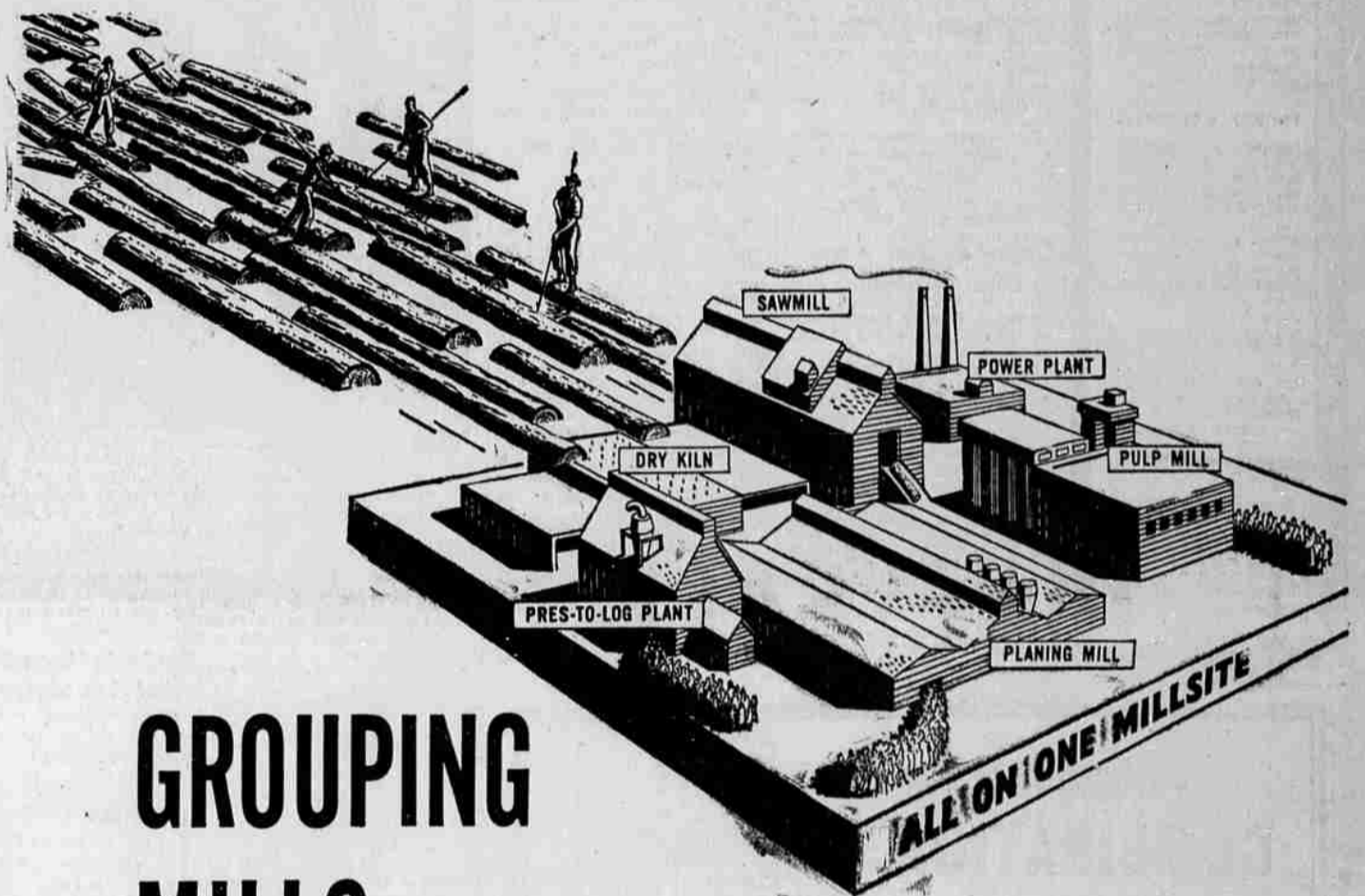


**BOTTOMS UP!**—A little wine instead of coffee starts the day off with a bang for Leo Young, 55-year-old Brooklyn trucker. Claiming to eat even more than "Diamond Jim" Brady, Leo leads off an average meal with consomme and an antipasto, wraps himself around a 5½-pound steak with plenty of french fries, topped off with a slice of lemon meringue pie. A few more steaks provide the hefty heavyweight with hors d'oeuvres and a cup of coffee royal gets him out of his chair. Leo claims bowling keeps him trim.

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